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**RE: DUANE MARINE
PERTH AMBOY, NEW JERSEY**

Dear Bruce:

As we discussed in our telephone conversation of December 19, 1984, it is my understanding that you are in agreement that all leaking containers and containers in imminent danger of leaking at the Duane Marine site in Perth Amboy, New Jersey, have been secured as described in Paragraph 28 of the Administrative Order.

This temporary remedial work shall, in no way be construed as an admission of liability or acceptance of responsibility by the respondents named in the Administrative Order. This work and the security for the site, that the group has provided, was done on a voluntary basis to deal with the immediate situations in a responsible way.

This action is without prejudice to all rights and defenses which the group and each of its members has to the Administrative Order, EPA has issued.

We expect to have a draft work plan available for mutual consideration on January 4, 1985 and would like to meet with you and other EPA technical personnel at that time. I will be in contact with you and Janet Feldstein, in an effort to arrange this technical meeting.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter, if there are any questions please call, (201) 365-3537.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Ms. J. Feldstein, USEPA
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